


5 January 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
FROM : Director, Equal Employment Opportunity
SUBJECT : Black History Week Guest Speaker

As you know, Representative Barbara Jordan has respectfully declined our invitation to serve as guest speaker during Black History Week in February 1977. In accordance with your earlier concurrence, I now propose to extend an invitation to Representative Shirley Chisholm to serve as our guest speaker. If you concur, a letter of invitation is attached for your signature.

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Director
Equal Employment Opportunity

✓ TUCKER, C. DELORES, government official; b. Philadelphia, Oct. 4, 1927; attended Temple U. & U. of PA; m. William L. Pres., C. DeLores Tucker Asso.; presently sec. of state, Commonwealth of PA. Exec. com., Dem. Nat. Con.; exec. com., Nat. Women's Political Caucus; vice-chmn., PA Dem. State Party; v.p., PA N.A.A.C.P.; sec., Nat. Assn. of Sec. of State; past sec., Philadelphia Zoning Bd. of Adjustment. Participated in Selma-Montgomery March; del., White House Conf. on Civil Rights; bd. dir., Commonwealth Bd. of Med. Coll. of PA; bd. dir., New Sch. of Mus.; bd. dir., Philadelphia Tribune Charities, Inc.; bd. dir., Messiah Coll. Bd. of Asso.; mem., PA Bicentennial Commn.; mem., PA Commn. on Women; Gov. Affirmative Action Council; honorary mem., Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. Recipient, 1961 N.A.A.C.P. Freedom Fund Award; Woman of Yr. Award, Nat. Assn. of TV & Radio Artists, 1972; Martin Luther King Soc. & Achievement Award; Achievement Award, Nat. Opportunities Industrialization Center, Inc.; 100 Most Influential Black Am. List, 1973-1975, Ebony Magazine; 1974 Comm. Sec. Award, Quaker City Chpt., B'nai Brith; nominated Women of Yr., Ladies' Home Journal, 1975, named Best Qualified to be Ambassador to UN on a slate of 22 women, Nat. Women's Political Caucus & Redbook Magazine; honorary LL.D., Villa Maria Coll. Office: 302 N Ofc Bldg Harrisburg PA 17120

Washington, D. C. 20505

20 JAN 1977

The Honorable Shirley Chisholm
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Shirley:

During the month of February 1977, the Nation will be observing Black History Week. As part of that observance, the CIA is planning a program which will focus on the historical and contemporary achievements of black American women. It would be an honor to this Agency if you would share our commemoration by serving as our guest speaker. Your remarkable achievements are ideally suited to the theme of our program and your participation with us would be a tribute to all employees of this Agency.

If you accept this invitation you may, of course, speak on any topic you wish including the theme of our program if it would be of value to you. We will ask a member of our Office of Equal Employment Opportunity to be your contact and to provide you with any support you may need.

I am sorry I will be out of my job as DCI in February so I won't be here to introduce you, but you will get a warm reception. I hope you can accept this invitation.

Sincerely,

/s/ George Bush

George Bush

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18 January 1977

The Honorable C. Delores Tucker
Secretary of State,
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
302 N. Office Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

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